

Musicians and Singers (27-2042)

Occupation description: Play one or more musical instruments or sing. May perform on stage, for on-air broadcasting, or for sound or video recording.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	40	46	15.0	1	1	2
United States	176,200	194,100	10.2	1,790	4,280	6,070

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is strong with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	32.10	n/a	8.88	23.74	68.63

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
17	4	23.5	69.2	61.5

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	10
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	7
UI claimants previously working in occupation	1

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	135
Number of job position postings	2
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	67.5

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: High school diploma or equivalent

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Long-term on-the-job training

Training Resources

	Degree
University of Alaska Anchorage	
Music	BA
Music	BM
Music Performance	BM

	Degree
University of Alaska Fairbanks	
Music	BA
Music	BM
Music	MA

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